**AGENDA:** December 7, 2004

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**CATEGORY:** Consent

**DEPT.:** Community Services

**TITLE:** Resolution of Appreciation to Tom Means

for His Contribution to the Parks and Recreation Commission and the

Community

## **RECOMMENDATION**

Adopt A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO TOM MEANS FOR HIS CONTRIBUTION TO THE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION AND THE COMMUNITY, to be read in title only, further reading waived.

FISCAL IMPACT - None.

**PUBLIC NOTICING** – Agenda posting.

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Attachment: 1. Resolution

## CITY OF MOUNTAIN VIEW RESOLUTION NO. SERIES 2004

## A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO TOM MEANS FOR HIS CONTRIBUTION TO THE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION AND THE COMMUNITY

WHEREAS, Tom Means has provided leadership to the City of Mountain View Parks and Recreation Commission from December 1998 to December 2004, serving as Chairperson in 2002 and 2003; and

WHEREAS, Tom was highly involved in a number of parks and recreation issues, including the Shoreline/Vista Slope Land Use Master Plan, Parks and Open Space Plan update, Heritage Tree Ordinance amendments, athletic field usage and needs assessment, recreation fee study and cost recovery, and the selection of replacement trees for downtown Castro Street; and

WHEREAS, during his term, some of the projects which the Commission participated in included the development of Whisman Park, Mercy-Bush Park, Rengstorff Skate Park and Shoreline Dog Park. The Commission also had input in the park playground renovations at Cuesta, Varsity, Cooper, Monta Loma, Sylvan, Rex Manor, San Veron and Bubb Park sites. The Commission was also involved in the design of Stevens Creek Trail, Hetch-Hetchy Trail and Shoreline Golf Pro Shop facility; and

WHEREAS, Tom has brought to the Parks and Recreation Commission new insight, promoted sensitivity to community concerns, fostered the preservation of the urban forest and also showed a strong commitment for the acquisition of open space and development of parks in Mountain View;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Mountain View hereby expresses its sincere gratitude and appreciation to Tom for his six years of outstanding service as a member of the Parks and Recreation Commission.

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